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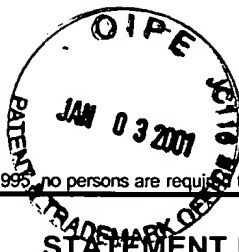
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: Subir VARMA

Application No./Patent No.: 09/664,029 Filed/Issue Date: September 19, 2000

Entitled: Synchronized Plural Channels for Time Division Duplexing

Aperto Networks, Inc., a Corporation,  
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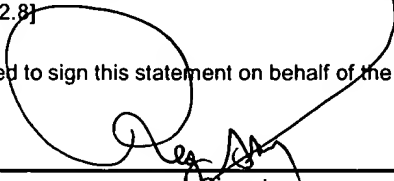
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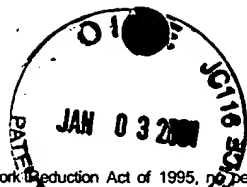
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**STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS**  
**(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c))--SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**Docket Number (Optional)  
164.1014.01

Applicant, Patentee, or Identifier: Subir VARMA  
Application or Patent No.: 09/664,029  
Filed or Issued: September 19, 2000  
Title: Synchronized Plural Channels for Time Division Duplexing

I hereby state that I am

- ☐ the owner of the small business concern identified below.  
☒ an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below.

NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN Aperto Networks, Inc.ADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN 1637 So. Main Street  
Milpitas, CA 95035

I hereby state that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR Part 121 for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Questions related to size standards for a small business concern may be directed to: Small Business Administration, Size Standards Staff, 409 Third Street, SW, Washington, DC 20416.

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- ☐ the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.  
☒ the application identified above.  
☐ the patent identified above.

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern, or organization having rights in the invention must file separate statements as to their status as small entities, and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

Each person, concern, or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, We, Subir Varma, a citizen of United States, residing at 6886 Village Wood Way, San Jose, California 95120, and Joseph Hakim, a citizen of Canada, residing at 759 Lakebird Drive, Sunnyvale, California 94089, have invented a **"Synchronized Plural Channels for Time Division Duplexing"** for which we have executed application papers for a U.S. patent thereon, which was filed on **September 19, 2000, Serial No. 09/664,029;** and

WHEREAS, Aperto Networks, Inc. a California corporation, having a place of business at 1637 South Main, San Jose, California 95035, is desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to the Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefor in the United States of America and its territories and possessions, and in all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, We, Subir Varma, and Joseph Hakim, do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Aperto Networks, Inc., its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in and to any and all letters patent to be granted and issued therefor, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but also for, to and in all other countries including all priority rights under the International Convention; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said Aperto Networks, Inc., its successors and assigns, in accordance with this Assignment.

WITNESS OUR HAND at \_\_\_\_\_, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2000.

  
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